

**Chambers of Chief Judge Lisa Godbey Wood** *continued*

**Government:** U.S. Attorney, Georgia - Southern District, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, United States Department of Justice (2004-2007)

**Judicial:** Magistrate Judge (part-time), Glynn County Magistrate Court (1998-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Gilbert, Harrell, Sumerford & Martin, P.C. (1991-1994); Partner, Gilbert, Harrell, Sumerford & Martin, P.C. (1995-2004)

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**William T. Moore, Jr.**  
Judge

Date of Birth: May 7, 1940  
Education: Georgia Military 1960 AA;  
Georgia 1964 JD; Virginia 2001 LLM  
Began Service: October 31, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Democrat



**Government:** United States Attorney, Southern District of Georgia, United States Department of Justice (1977-1981); Member, Attorney General's Advisory Committee, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1978-1981)

**Judicial:** Pro Tem Judge, Records Court (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Pierce, Ranitz and Lee (1964-1965); Richardson, Doremus and Karsman (1965-1968); Partner, Corish, Smith, Remler & Moore (1968-1977); Partner, Sparkman, Harris & Moore (1981-1988); Partner, Oliver Maner & Gray (1988-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Board of Criminal Lawyers; Eleventh Circuit District Judges Association; Federal Judges Association; Savannah Bar Association; State Bar of Georgia

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**James Randal Hall**  
District Judge

Education: Augusta 1979 BA; Georgia 1982 JD  
Began Service: May 1, 2008  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Corporate:** Vice President and Legal Counsel, Bankers First Corporation (1985-1996)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Sanders, Mottola, Haugen & Goodson (1982-1984); Partner, Avrett & Hall, P.C. (1984-1985); Partner, Hall & Millins, P.C. (1996-1999); Partner, Hunter, Maclean, Exley & Dunn, P.C. (1999-2003); Partner, Warlick, Tritt, Stebbins and Hall, LLP (2004-2008)

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**Chambers of Senior Judge Dudley H. Bowen, Jr.**

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**Dudley H. Bowen, Jr.**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1941  
Education: Georgia 1964 BA, 1965 LLB  
Began Service: December 5, 1979  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Augusta Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; State Bar of Georgia

**Staff**

Courtroom Deputy **Brenda McCarthy** ..... (706) 849-4403

**Chambers of Senior Judge B. Avant Edenfield**

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**B. Avant Edenfield**  
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1934  
Education: Georgia 1956 BBA, 1958 LLB  
Began Service: 1978  
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

**Legal Practice:** Private Practice (1958-1965); Partner, Allen, Edenfield, Brown & Wright (1965-1978)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1957-1963); Georgia National Guard (1957-1963)

**Current Memberships:** Bulloch County Bar Association; The Federalist Society for Law and Public Policy Studies; Ogeechee Circuit Bar Association; Savannah Bar Association; State Bar of Georgia

**Chambers of Senior Judge B. Avant Edenfield** *continued***Staff**

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Term Expires: July 2011  
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**W. Leon Barfield**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Georgia 1976 JD  
Began Service: August 31, 1993  
Term Expires: August 2017

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Elie L. Horton, Georgia Superior Court (1976-1977)

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, City of Augusta, Georgia (1979-1981); Assistant United States Attorney, Southern District of Georgia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1981-1993)

**Judicial:** Court Administrator, Tenth Judicial Administrative District, Georgia (1978-1979)

**Military Service:** United States Army (1967-1969)

**Staff**

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**G. R. Smith**  
Magistrate Judge

Began Service: 1988  
Term Expires: August 2012

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Education: Buffalo 1983 JD  
Career Law Clerk **David Roth** ..... (912) 650-4180  
Education: Georgia 2007 JD

Secretary **Princess P. Mason** ..... (912) 650-4180  
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**James E. Graham**  
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Mercer 1977 JD  
Began Service: 1987  
Term Expires: February 2016

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Education: Alabama 2009 JD

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**Lamar W. Davis, Jr.**  
Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Emory 1968 BA; Georgia 1973 JD  
Began Service: 1986  
Term Expires: 2014

**Academic:** Management Program, Trust Company Bank (1968-1970)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Miller, Beckmann & Simpson (1976-1978); Partner, Miller, Simpson & Tatum (1978-1986)

**Military Service:** National Guard (1968-1974)

**Current Memberships:** Savannah Bar Association

**Staff**

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